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List of non-governmental organizations recommended by the Bureau of the Committee for accreditation in the substantive preparatory process and the International Conference on Financing for Development

Note by the Secretariat

Addendum

Pursuant to the provisions contained in paragraphs 14 to 19 of the report of the Bureau of the Preparatory Committee on modalities for the participation of all relevant stakeholders in the substantive preparatory process and the high-level International Conference on Financing for Development (A/AC.257/6), the Bureau of the Preparatory Committee submits herewith for the consideration and decision by the Committee a list of additional non-governmental organizations that are recommended for accreditation.

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List of non-governmental organizations not in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council seeking accreditation to the International Conference on Financing for Development

1. Shelter Rights Initiative

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The mandate of Shelter Rights Initiative is to promote due process and basic standards in economic, social and cultural rights in Nigeria. It advocates the promotion and protection of all internationally recognized human rights and provides remedial measures for victims of their violation. To achieve its mandate, the organization uses all of the instruments of civil, political, economic, social and cultural human rights. Shelter Rights Initiative sets out to achieve its objects through advocacy, research, investigations and reports on human rights abuses. It also uses campaigns and networking as principal tools in its work.

2. Social Alert

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The objective of the organization is to promote and defend economic, social and cultural rights in the world. It works specifically on collective rights and on workers' rights. To reach its objectives, Social Alert gathers social, human rights and workers' organizations from the North and the South through networks, linking North and South through the circulation and dissemination among its members of information on economic, social and cultural rights.

3. Environment 2000 Foundation

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Membership: national

The aim of the organization is to raise the level of environmental awareness among the general public, including the business sector, schools, community groups, the media and government; to ensure that decision-makers actively consider the environment; to empower all sectors of society to take ownership of environmental issues; to improve the quality of the environment and the livelihoods of stakeholders through participatory implementation and facilitation of projects and programmes.

4. Foundation for Democracy, Governance and Endowment

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The Foundation for Democracy, Governance and Endowment was established, among other things, to strengthen the young and growing democracy and democratic institutions in Malawi. It also aims to promote democratic culture and good governance. Its objectives include: advocating a conducive and enabling policy environment for smooth, effective and efficient operations of civil society and grass-roots organizations; and ensuring that electoral processes are conducted in a free and fair, as well as transparent and accountable, manner.

5. VIVAT International

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VIVAT currently operates in 61 countries, and its main goal is to promote networking of its members, and most particularly: to promote collaboration with the United Nations in achieving peace, human rights and sustainable development; to distribute information aimed at awareness-raising among its members; to glean from

the grass-roots experience and insights of its members and bring these to the attention of the international community; and to liaise and collaborate with other agencies and networks.

6. Organization of Pakistani Women in Development

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The organization aims to provide poor women with poverty reduction, education, training and capacity-building programmes and to assist them in attaining employment.

7. Coordination SUD

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The aim of Coordination SUD is to provide service and representation, serving as a repository of and for international support associations. It offers non-governmental organizations a tool for networking and promoting methods to successfully accomplish their goal. These include: geographical platforms; thematic links, such as the Association conseil pour le développement et l'environnement (debt conversion, support for cooperation between the World Bank and non-governmental organizations); and research and action groups, such as the URD Group (a link between emergency humanitarian aid and support for development). The organization also supports regional associations, helping them to work with regional organizations conducting decentralized public support activities, and facilitates an exchange of experience among the associations.

8. International Development Conference

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Membership: international

The aim of the organization is to define and demonstrate the value of viewing development issues through the lens of generations and to diffuse this approach throughout the international development community. The organization believes that, by working together across generational boundaries, it can create an enhanced model for sustainable development.

9. Rural Area Development Programme

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The purpose of the Rural Area Development Programme is to develop and implement programmes and activities in rural areas, aimed at raising the standards of living of the rural population in cooperation with national and international donor agencies, and with the contribution of local people.

10. North-South Institute

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The North-South Institute is Canada's only non-partisan, non-governmental research institute focused on international development. The purpose of the organization is to carry out research and analysis of Canadian foreign policy and pressing world development problems, and to bring those issues before Canadian public opinion. The Institute has three main goals: to reduce poverty in developing countries, increase fairness around the world, and improve governance.

11. Nautilus Institute

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Membership: international

The purpose of The Nautilus Institute is to integrate environmental protection and human rights into the governance of international trade and investment. The Nautilus Institute conducts research, convenes multi-sectoral workshops, organizes training, builds networks, and utilizes the Internet to widely disseminate information. The organization aims at identifying and promoting innovative policies and business practices to enhance social and environmental ethics in global markets.

12. Medicus Mundi

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Membership: international

Founded in 1963, Medicus Mundi operates in the area of development cooperation, particularly in developing countries, with a special focus on health as a basic human right. Through its network of members and volunteers, Medicus Mundi aims at reducing poverty by carrying out integrated and participatory processes, working in close cooperation with local authorities. Medicus Mundi has consultative status with the World Health Organization.

13. State of the World Forum

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Membership: international

The corporation is a non-profit, public benefit corporation and its specific and primary purpose is to engage in charitable and educational activities. The core

mission of the State of the World Forum is to establish an enabling environment and to serve as a secretariat for the gathering of leaders and citizens from around the world and a spectrum of disciplines to search together for the new frameworks of values that are required for this new phase of human development and, within this context, to take concerted action — strategic initiatives — to help give shape to the world.

14. Coordinadora Indigena Campesina de Agroforesteria Comunitaria

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Membership: international

The organization is a community-based coordinating body working in the fields of capacity-building, sustainable forestry management, sustainable agriculture and natural resource management. The beneficiaries of its activities are indigenous communities and farmers in Central America.

15. Consumer Unity and Trust Society

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Membership: international

The Consumer Unity and Trust Society aims at achieving consumer protection in the framework of social justice and equality, within and across borders. The organization operates from four centres in India and one in Africa, and focuses on four operational areas: consumer protection, which includes accountability, regulatory reforms etc; trade and development, which includes investment and competition policies; sustainable production and consumption, including consumer protection; and rural consumers and empowerment of women.

16. United Nations Association Dominican Republic

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Founded in 2000, the Association's mandate is to promote the work of the United Nations system. The Association's programmes are structured to reach out to various audiences, such as students and teachers, businesses and corporations, non-governmental organizations and individual citizens within the Dominican community.

17. Asociación Lola Mora

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Membership: not applicable

The objective of the organization is to promote social and economic development of women, family and elderly persons in Latin America. Its activities include public awareness campaigns, seminars, research and collaboration with local, regional and national authorities, as well as research institutions and other non-governmental networks.

18. Network Institute for Global Democratization

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The aim of the Network is to promote worldwide democratization at all levels. Its predecessor, the Finnish follow-up process (1995-1997) to the reports of the Secretary-General of the United Nations — issued annually since 1995, organized seminars and issued publications supporting regional democratization, mainly in

Eastern Europe and the Russian Federation. In 1998, the Network extended its agenda to incorporate both research and more practically oriented projects concerning the transnational impacts of democratization in areas outside Europe. The Network focuses on the impact of globalization on democratization and, normatively, on democratizing globalization.

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The objective of the organization is to promote trade by: assisting local producers, small and medium-sized enterprises in managing, developing and marketing their products; disseminating information on new research issues related to trade and employment; linking local producers to alternative trade organizations; and raising the standards of living among farmers, small business persons and the community at large.

20. La Liga Policy Institute

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The La Liga Policy Institute, a non-profit organization carrying out research, policy studies and training, is dedicated to evolving and institutionalizing a platform of politico-economic governance that combines fiscal prudence and a progressive social policy. It was founded in 2000 by a group of social activists who have had experience in government, civil society and the private sector. The Institute is committed to significantly contributing to a movement for renewal and reform in governance, economy, living environments and global relationships.